Docket No. 240906US2SRD

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Wataru ASANO, et al.

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EXAMINER: SMITHERS, M.

FOR:

DIGITAL WATERMARK DETECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It	is here	by requested	i that a	two month	n extension	of time	be grai	ited to	June :	16,	2007	for

filing a response to the Official Action dated: January 16, 2007							
responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:							
filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.							
responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:							
filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.							
filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:							
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by							

The required fee of \$450.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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